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Ms. Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Docket numbers 04-313, 01-338, 96-98, 98-147

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Monday, November 8, 2004, Praveen Goyal of Covad Communications Company, along with Mark Schneider of Jenner and Block on behalf of Covad, met with John Stanley, Christopher Killion and William Scher of the Office of General Counsel regarding the above-referenced dockets. During the meeting, Covad discussed the ability of the Commission to act to preserve line sharing by granting Earthlink's pending petition for reconsideration of the *Triennial Review Order's* line sharing phase-out. Covad also discussed its belief that such actions would be legally sustainable, and not inconsistent with previous court opinions and Commission orders.

Respectfully submitted,

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